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E.O. 12065: GDS 3/30/85 (RAUL H. CASTRO) OR-M
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SUBJ: [REDACTED] GENERAL VIOLA REPORTS ON MISSING PERSONS AND VISIT TO
TIMERMAN

REF: BUENOS AIRES 2490

1. [REDACTED] ALL TEXT.

2. IN KEEPING WITH HIS PROMISE TO REPORT TO ME ON THREE POSSIBLE
MISSING PERSONS, GENERAL VIOLA TOLD ME THIS MORNING (MARCH 30)
THAT EDDIE JUAN BARRIONUEVO, JOSE SOSA AND JORGE ALBERTO
STRESSER, REPORTED MISSING SINCE MARCH 24, WERE NOT ACTUALLY
MISSING BUT WERE IN CUSTODY IN THE EL TIGRE PRECINCT UNDER THE
COURT'S JURISDICTION. THE NATURE OF THE CHARGES AGAINST THESE
PERSONS WAS NOT REVEALED. (SEE REFTEL).

3. IN THE SAME CONVERSATION VIOLA TOLD ME THAT AUTHORIZATION
HAD BEEN GRANTED FOR RABBIS FRIEDMAN (FATHER AND SON) TO VISIT
JACOBO TIMERMAN. THESE VISITING RABBIS ARE FROM NEW JERSEY.
THEY WILL BE VISITING TIMERMAN SOMETIME TODAY. I HAD PREVIOUSLY
MADE THE REQUEST FROM MIN INTERIOR, BUT IN VIEW OF NOT HAVING
HAD A REPLY IN TWO DAYS I LATER CONTACTED GENERAL VIOLA, WHO
APPARENTLY GAINED THE AUTHORIZATION.

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4. COMMENT: I'M EXTREMELY PLEASED VIOLA CONTINUES TO BE
ACCOMMODATING TO OUR REQUESTS. IN MY LAST INTERVIEW HE WAS

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NOT IN A HAPPY FRAME OF MIND TOWARDS USG ATTITUDE, BUT I
BELIEVE HE WILL CONTINUE TO COOPERATE WITH OUR HUMAN RIGHTS
INQUIRIES.
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